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SUBJECT: ESTIMATED GATT ASSESSMENT BUDGET FOR CY-1976 AND
CY-1977

1. AS PART OF THE DEPARTMENT'S FY-1977 BUDGET PRESENTATION, WE WOULD APPRECIATE MISSION OBTAINING LATEST ESTIMATE OF GATT'S ASSESSMENT BUDGET AND PERCENTAGE TO BE CONTRIBUTED BY THE U.S. IN CY-1976 AND CY-1977. IN ADDITION TO ANTICIPATED U.S. CONTRIBUTION, WE WOULD LIKE MISSION'S BEST ESTIMATE OF THE AMOUNT U. S. WILL BE ASKED TO PAY TO THE TAX EQUALIZATION FUND IN CY-1976 AND CY-1977.

2. AS A RESULT OF THE PASSAGE OF THE TRADE ACT OF 1974, CY-1976 WILL BE THE FIRST YEAR THAT U.S. CONTRIBUTION TO GATT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE "CONTRIBUTIONS" APPROPRIATION, AS OPPOSED TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND CONTINGENCIES APPROPRIATION. THEREFORE, ANY ESTIMATED INCREASE IN THE GATT ASSESSMENT BUDGET BETWEEN CY-1976 AND CY-1977 MUST BE SPECIFIED AS BEING EITHER DISCRETIONARY (I.E., AMOUNTS NEEDED TO MAINTAIN THE PRIOR YEAR LEVEL OF OPERA-
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TIONS) OR NON-DISCRETIONARY. IN ADDITION, PLEASE SPECIFY

ANY AMOUNTS PROVIDED IN THE BUDGETS FOR NEW BUILDING
CONSTRUCTION.

3. IN ORDER TO MEET DEADLINE ESTABLISHED BY THE BUDGET
OFFICE, WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING THESE ESTIMATES BY
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